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there bubbling along all these many years, but has done a great deal of good in a great many areas. And we have built on it later on for other purposes, but the people who held up the light early on to say, look, not every answer comes from litigation and declaring bankruptcy and going to court and suing each other into submission, was our Agriculture Committee and the Farm Mediation Program. And the fact that we still attend to it is, I think, a source of our wisdom and prescience, and I want to thank Senator Dierks for this measure. Happy to vote for it as it moves along.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Landis. Is there any further discussion on the committee amendments? Seeing none. Senator Dierks to close on the committee amendments. Closing is waived. The question before you is the adoption of the committee amendments to LB 200. All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. Please record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on the adoption of committee amendments.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The amendments are adopted. Senator Dierks to close on the bill. Closing is waived. The question before you is the advancement of LB 200. All those in favor vote aye. All those opposed vote nay. Please record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on the advancement of LB 200.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: LB 200 advances. LB 345.

CLERK: (LB) 346, introduced by Senators Bohlke and McKenzie. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 14, referred to the Education Committee, reported back to the floor. I have no amendments to the bill, Madam President.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The chair recognizes Senator Bohlke to open on the bill.

SENATOR BOHLKE: Yes, Madam President, members. Yesterday you passed two bills that we refer to as trailer bills because of the recodification that we did last year for education statutes,